

## GOVERNMENT WILL SUPERVISE FRUIT FLY QUARANTINE

National Guardsmen Will Be Relieved of Duty Within Next Ten Days, It Is Announced. 60 Men For Patrol Duty on Border.

DOTHAN, Ala., June 3.—National guardsmen on duty at the state line to enforce the fruit fly quarantine will be relieved within the next ten days when the federal government will supervise the work and civilian guards substituted, according to Captain John Griffin, who has been directing operations on the border for the past few weeks.

More rigid rules will be adopted for the enforcement of the quarantine, Captain Griffin believes after the federal authorities take charge. According to plans mentioned to him, it is the intention of the officials to search every car thoroughly that attempts to cross the line, even going so far as to inspect baggage and other cargoes.

The border patrol will be augmented by several guards, all civilians, and Captain Griffin states that approximately 60 men will be employed in this district. Able-bodied men between the ages of 22 and 35 who are desirous of entering this service may make application to Captain Griffin. He requests that they mention their age, weight, etc., in writing, in order that he might submit the necessary data to the proper authorities.

The government's program in suppressing the migration of the fruit fly is expected to continue for a period of several years and may extend to states other than Georgia, Florida and Alabama, Washington bulletins intimate.

Mr. W. J. White made a business trip to Troy Friday.

Mrs. Almon Strain visited friends in Montgomery Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. W. E. Blair and daughter, Miss Hazel, and Miss Mary Palmer spent Saturday in Montgomery.

Mrs. Kathryn Mizell, of Samson, visited her grandmother, Mrs. W. P. Boyd, last week.

Miss Mary Olive Canale, of Enterprise, visited her sister, Mrs. T. D. Kendrick, in Elba last week.

Master Robert Marsh has returned from an extended visit to Greenville, where he visited Dr. and Mrs. H. P. Rankin.

Mrs. H. P. Rankin, of Greenville, Miss, arrived in Elba Friday for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Marsh.

Miss Eva Hammond and James Hammond, of Dothan, are guests of their aunts, Misses Mae, Fannie, Vivian and Lillie Harper, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Payne left the first of the week for Springfield, Mass., where they will make their home. Mrs. Fort Calhoun, Mrs. Payne's mother, accompanied them. Their many friends here regret their leaving but wish for them much success and happiness in their new home.

Mr. James W. Cullens, State Service Commissioner, with headquarters at 912 Martin Building, Birmingham, was a visitor at Elba last Thursday. Mr. Cullens will be glad to hear from any ex-servicemen in this section who might be entitled to compensation of any kind from the government, and who have not yet filed their claims. A letter addressed to him at the above address will bring any help and information at his command.

## Dorsey Sez:

It's the mechanical features concealed in any car that's responsible for its performance.

POOR ORIGINAL

## BANKHEAD ENTERS RACE WITH HEFLIN

MONTGOMERY, Ala., June 3.—John H. Bankhead will be a candidate for the United States Senate in the Democratic primary in Alabama next year.

With his announcement yesterday, Mr. Bankhead becomes the first Alabama Democrat to enter as a contender for the senatorial seat now occupied by J. Thomas Heflin.

Mr. Bankhead is a son of the late senator from Alabama and a brother of Congressman Will Bankhead, of Jasper. He was runner-up in the last senatorial race, in which Hugo Black was elected. The Bankhead announcement marks the turning of a page in Alabama political history and is expected to inaugurate one of the most spirited senatorial campaigns in recent years. It is believed that there will be at least three other leading Democrats in the campaign for senator next year. Numbers have been suggested as likely material and others are expected to follow Mr. Bankhead this summer in announcing their candidacy.

## S. P. Storrs Appointed Agriculture Commissioner

S. P. Storrs, of Elmore County, was appointed State Commissioner of Agriculture and Industries by Governor Bibb Graves, Saturday.

Like his predecessor in the office, Mr. Storrs is a practical farmer, and operates a model farm near Wetumpka in Elmore County. He was a member of the State Board of Agriculture at the time of his appointment and was endorsed for Commissioner by agricultural interests from all over the state.

Mr. Storrs' death was due to a sudden heart attack following a breakdown brought on by excessive strain and exertion in directing the campaign to protect Alabama from an invasion of the Mediterranean fly. He was one of the most popular state officials and his death was widely deplored.

Mr. Storrs was elected Commissioner of Agriculture in 1926 without opposition, and had previously represented Henry County in the Legislature.

Governor Graves also appointed W. S. Garner, of Ozark, Cashier of the Ozark City Bank, as probate judge of Dale County to fill the vacancy created by the death of Judge L. F. Sessions; and Alex. Howard, prominent Mobile attorney, to fill the vacancy in the Mobile Circuit judgeship caused by the death of Judge Saffold Berney.

## SENIORS ENTERTAINED BY MISS LANE

A lovely party was given at the home of Miss Lillian Lane, on last Friday evening, when her guests were members of the graduating class of Elba high school, of which class Frank Lane, brother of the hostess, is a member.

The home was decorated in an attractive way, using cut flowers and festoons of crepe paper to carry out the class colors, pink and white.

As the guests arrived, they were served fruit trays by the hostess. A number of games were enjoyed during the evening. An "Ex-servicemen Meeting" in which the senior meeting incidents of their school life afforded much amusement.

At a late hour ice cream and cake were served.

Messrs. Lamar and Frank Rainer spent Sunday in Dothan.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Beall spent Sunday in Dothan with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Vaughn, of Dothan, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Vaughn Sunday.

Fred Kendrick, of Montgomery, was the weekend guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kendrick.

Miss Minnie Massey, of Marshallville, Ga., is the much-admired guest of Miss Quila Paul and Mrs. J. W. Kendrick Monday.

Miss Marie Ham has returned from Alabama College to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ham.

Miss Alma McCall, of Enterprise, was the attractive guest of Mrs. Charlie Grimes the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ballard and son Harry, of Opp, were guests of Mr. Ballard's mother, Mrs. Frank Ballard, Sunday.

Miss Louise Morgan has returned home from Livingston, where she was a student of the Norma School, to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Morgan.

Mrs. Minola Libert and daughter, Miss Louise, left the first of the week for Lawrence, where they will have charge of the telephone exchange. They have many friends in Elba who regret to have them go, but wish them happiness and success in their new home.

# THE ELBA CLIPPER

## HEADLAND YOUTH KILLED IN AUTO- MOBILE ACCIDENT

Driver of Auto Meets Sudden Death While Companion Escapes With Injuries. Car Turned Over Several Times In Road.

DOTHAN, Ala., June 4.—One Headland youth was instantly killed and another is in a Dothan hospital with possible internal injuries as the result of a car in which they were riding turning over several times in the road about a mile from Headland Tuesday morning shortly after nine o'clock. The dead boy is Rupert Hodges, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hodges of Headland.

Coy Douglas, 20, was carried to Dothan hospital by Dr. S. L. Burdshaw, of Headland, suffering from shock and a pain in the region of the chest.

Doctors believe his injuries are not necessarily serious.

According to Douglas, Hodges was driving the car, which he had recently put a new front wheel on, and warned Hodges not to speed, as it was a Model T Ford and rather tricky at times. "We were turning to Headland after a test run of the car," Douglas said "and Hodges insisted upon driving. He pulled the gas lever wide open. I pushed it up and warned him again. He pulled it down again and I said no more as we didn't have much farther to go before arriving in Headland."

"The next thing I knew we were turning over. I think the wheel locked. I found myself pinned under the car, the body resting on my chest. I called to Hodges but he did not answer. I managed to lift the car off me and to crawl out. Some people had stopped by that time and they removed Hodges body."

Both Hodges and Douglas are members of prominent Headland families. Besides his parents, young Hodges is survived by the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. Sarah Taylor, Miss Laddell Hodges, F. T. Ellis and Gray Hodges, all of Headland, and Miss Martha Hodges, of Montgomery. Funeral services had not been completed Tuesday night.

The funeral will be held at Tolbert Church, near Headland, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Roberts, Mrs. Jim Roberts and daughter Angelle, of Louisville, Miss, arrived in Elba last week.

Mac Bush and Lawrence Herring spent Saturday in Dothan.

Miss Lorrie Wilson, of New Hope, and Misses Angelle Roberts and Louise Price, of Louisville, were guests of Miss Gussie Bayette on Thursday last week.

Misses McGee and Pinkston and Mrs. R. Y. P. U. Program

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Two of the women, Mrs. Betty Bailey, of Stevenson, Mo., and Mrs. Tom Bailey, of St. Louis, claim to be the mother of Bailey. The third woman, Mrs. Mary Myers, of Opelika, Ala., maintains that Bailey's parents are dead and that she is entitled to the money as his nearest relative, a fourth cousin.

Marion Rusbult, administrator of the estate, yesterday filed a full accounting of his administration with Judge Crosbyland, pleading final disposition of the case in the hands of the probate court. In the event the claimants offer insufficient evidence the sum will be turned over to the state.

Sincerely and earnestly we hope that Elba is now immune to disaster; but if disaster should come again, and it becomes necessary for us to return to administer relief, be assured we shall come as friends to friends.

C. H. McFARLAND, Area Director

WOMAN KILLED IN PLANE CRASH

HUNTSVILLE, Ala., June 3.—Fatal injury of one prominent young Huntsville woman and serious injury of another resulted Friday when an airplane piloted by Fred Lanier, local aviator, went into a tailspin while being sharply banked and crashed with a terrific impact in the race track at Piedmont Stock Farm, two miles south of Huntsville.

Mrs. Marcus Peniler, formerly Elizabeth McCallister, sister of Mayor Alex. W. McCallister, of this city, is dead of injuries sustained in the accident, and her cousin, Mrs. Philip Stout, of Bristol, Va., the former Elizabeth Barron, died of a fractured arm and dislocated hip, as well as possible internal injuries.

Physicians have expressed the belief that she will live. Pilot Lanier sustained no serious injury.

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## New Brockton News

Tom Brock spent Tuesday and Wednesday of last week in Montgomery and Fayetteville on business. Mrs. and Mrs. D. Boyette Sunday.

Mrs. Dewey Rowe and daughter Eugene spent a few days last week with relatives here.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Lola Sawyer at Enterprise, Saturday a.m.

Mrs. Woodall, Mrs. Curt Jones and Mrs. Motherhead spent one day last week in Dothan shopping.

Mrs. Massey, who underwent a tonsil operation at Enterprise hospital last week, is at home doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob King, of Talladega, was called to the death of their sister, Mrs. Lola Sawyer, on last Friday. Mr. King returned home Sunday. Mrs. King is spending some time with relatives in Brockton and Enterprise.

Steth Jones made a business trip to Montgomery one day last week. Mrs. Clair McGee, of Dothan, and her sister here, Miss Dorothy McGee.

Frank Brock, of Birmingham, and Charlie Brock, of Montgomery, were called home on Friday of last week on account of the death of their sister, Mrs. Lola Sawyer.

Rev. Hughes, of Ozark, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Sunday.

Mrs. Vela Russell and daughter Earline and Ruth, who moved to Troy for the school, arrived at the Troy Normal, have moved back to New Brockton.

Miss Ruby Eichenlaub has returned from a visit to her daughters, Mrs. C. R. Haynes, in New Hope community.

Mac Heath, of Decatur, spent a few days with relatives here and at Enterprise last week. Mrs. Hattie, who has been visiting here for some time, returned home with him.

Vivian Vancle-Haynes spent last weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. Eichenlaub.

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## AMERICAN RED CROSS IS HUMAN ORGANIZATION

It is Human in Its Composition, Both of Membership and Its Staff, Therefore Is Subject To Mistakes; Has Been Criticized.

"The civil men do live after them but the good is off? Interfere with their bones." Thus spoke William Shakespeare thru the mouth of a character in one of his expressive dramas. Our friend, Shakespeare was thinking of two fundamental truths concerning human nature when this was written for the player. The foremost thing in his mind undoubtedly was that human beings make mistakes; expressed once by Alexander Pope in these words, "To err is human."

The other thought in Shakespeare's mind concerned something more insidious and regrettable in human nature, namely: our proneness to criticize our fellows. Both are as fundamental to the human race as the top of the pole, reached up and took hold of the high power wire.

His leg was around the post and as this was a perfect ground, the electric current burned off one arm and one leg and damaged the pole considerably. The boy was carried to a local hospital for treatment. Physicians say his condition is serious and not much hope is held for his recovery.

The other negroes who were working in the field with Bally say that he climbed the wire to show them his ability as a climber. The boy burned clear of the wire and fell to the ground.

Alabama Leads In Rural Public Health Work

Dr. Douglas L. Cannon, State Health Officer, was being officially informed, in a letter from Dr. L. L. Lunsford, Senior Surgeon, U. S. Public Health Service, that Alabama is well in the lead of all the states in rural public health work. Dr. Lunsford congratulated Dr. Cannon upon his selection as State Health Officer to succeed the late Dr. S. W. Welch, and added: "My report on extent of rural health service as of January 1, 1929, will appear in an early issue of Public Health Reports. The good old state of Alabama now tops the list by a considerable margin. The progress made in the development of the whole-time county health service in Alabama in the last decade is a great accomplishment of Dr. Welch and his boys, in which all of us interested in the big business have had cause for pride."

Dr. Lunsford's tribute to Alabama's health work is based on the fact that today 20 of the 67 counties of the state have county health units with full-time health officers. This percentage is well ahead of any other state and it is hoped that the remaining 17 counties will fall in line and give their people the protection afforded by county health service at an early date.

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When we realize that over 800,000.00 has already been spent in Elba and vicinity, when we further realize that the cases of apoplexy, which have been reported, are approximately 900 families have been closed, then it is we know that our work in Elba is fast approaching conclusion.

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## KINSTON GIRL CHOSEN BEST 4-H MEMBER

Miss Jewell Jackson, of Kinston, was chosen as the outstanding 4-H Club Short Course given at Auburn this week. There are 450 4-H girl members in this county.

It is a real honor to be selected as the girl doing the most outstanding work in a county, and Miss Jackson is to be congratulated upon the excellency of her work.

It is the policy of the L. & N. Railroad to give to the winner of the 4-H honor, in every county its lines traverse, a round trip ticket as well as spending money to attend the short course, and in this case Miss Jackson goes with all expenses paid by that company.—Enterprise Leader.

Negro Boy Grabs 44,000  
Vandalism; Burned Badly

ANDALUSIA, Ala., May 31.—Bally C. Howell, negro boy aged 15, while chopping cotton in a field near Dozier Wednesday, decided to climb the guy wire of one of the poles on which the high power wires of the River Falls Power Company are carried.

Bally climbed the wire, the top of the pole, reached up and took hold of the high power wire. His leg was around the post and as this was a perfect ground, the electric current burned off one arm and one leg and damaged the pole considerably. The boy was carried to a local hospital for treatment. Physicians say his condition is serious and not much hope is held for his recovery.

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## HIGHWAY BRIDGE TO BE BUILT HERE OVER PEA RIVER

600-Foot Concrete, Timber and Steel Bridge Will Be Built Across River At the Site Where Old Bridge Stood Before Flood.

The Clipper is carrying an advertisement for the State Highway Commission calling for bids on a new bridge over Pea River at Elba. The bridge will be of concrete, timber and steel construction and will be 600 lineal feet.

This bridge will be built across the river at the site where the old bridge stood, according to information reaching Elba from the Highway Commission. The Commission had under consideration the proposition of building a double bridge over White Water and Pea River at a point where the two streams come together in Elba, thus changing the highway from its present location through the business section of town to Buford Street.

Strong opposition to changing the highway to Buford Street developed in Elba and a delegation went before the Commission several days ago. After hearing the matter, the Highway Commission has decided to locate the bridge at the old site. Bids on the project are to be received on July 2, and if a satisfactory bid is received it is likely that work will start immediately thereafter.

First Cotton Bloom Received Saturday

The first cotton bloom of the season was received by The Clipper last Saturday, and was brought in by Horace Wambles, who lives east of Elba on the Opp highway. Mr. Wambles said he had quite a number of blooms in his field last week. He planted his cotton after the floods in March.

A letter was also received Monday from Mr. R. T. Bass of Elba, Route 4, which contained a cotton bloom. This bloom was tied up and on opening it we found boll weevil, which goes to show that the insects are out early this year. Three or four others have also brought in cotton blooms during this week.

Deputy State Officers "Out"

MONTGOMERY, Ala., June 4.—Governor Bibb Graves has formally revoked the commissions of all deputy state law enforcement officers whose commissions were held invalid by a ruling of Atty.-Gen. Charles C. McCall several days ago, it was learned today.

Lawrence Lee, legal advisor to the governor, made the announcement.

Mr. Lee stated that Gov. Graves would request a complete list of deputy state law enforcement officers from Chief Walter McAdory immediately. It was



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And now the June brides.

The big pictures are with

us again.

The old-time carriages were

slow, but oh, how safe.

Just keep fishing and you'll get

a bite some day.

Put two and two together and

you'll often have a fuss.

It's always safer to investigate

first and invest later.

Currying might be full of germs

but it is still popular.

Dollars are no longer called

cart wheels. They go too fast.

Man who is looking for trouble

never needs a pair of glasses.

If you want to be sweet, don't

reach for a sweet in a bottle.

Marriages made on a hot bed

usually turn out for the better.

Never knock a church. It may

have improved since you were

there last.

Ratio is about to bring truth to

the old saying "I'll tell the world."

Borrowing trouble is foolish

but not so foolish as marrying it.

It appears that the supply of

gossip never exceeds the demand.

Look over your hundred dollar

bill and see if any of them are

counterfeit.

Two Brooklyn men traded wives

and now each thinks the other is

a swindler.

As a topic for discussion and

statistics no one can deny that pro-

hibition is a success.

Though many a killing has been

made by Wall Street speculators

little mention is made of the vic-

tims.

Of all the meals in the world,

none can compare with what a

prosperous farmer terms a "square

meal."

A noted war-time aviator in

Belgium has abandoned with a

lot of money. Still, according to

the rules the ace should take the

jack.

When the professor remarked

the deplorable tendency to the

use of slang, the flapper agreed

saying, "You are married, are

you?"

The death rate of married men

is said to be but one-half that of

the unmarried. A rolling pin in the

hands of a wife does not seem to

be as deadly as a needle in the

fingers of a husband.

YOU BET IT PAYS.

An Elba merchant says: "I think

a newspaper is the best advertising

medium that a man can use. It

reaches more people and never

tends to cheapen his business like

free gifts and other stunts do."

Advertising is the oil of the print-

ing that lubricates the wheels

of progress.

"NO BETTER WILL BE MADE."

Looking back only a compara-

tively few years, we may remem-

ber many things which were taken

seriously then, but which cause a

smile today. Such a smile may be

evoked by an advertisement ap-

pearing in the Review of Reviews

in 1929.

Properly displayed and accom-

panied with an illustration that

looks very much like an ordinary

rubber-tired runabout buggy with

an open top, the advertisement

said, in part:

"The latest and best Horseless

Carriage. Combines all require-

ments for an ideal and practical

pleasure or business vehicle. No

better will be made. Time cannot

improve it. \$600. Delivery in

sixty days. Sent for illustrated

catalogue and interesting reading

matter about self-propelled ve-

hicles."

The fellow who wrote that ad-

vertisement took in quite a lot of

territory. "No better will be made.

Time cannot improve it." Think

of that—30 years ago.

Phillip Ham has returned from

the State University to spend the

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is a prescription for

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## THE ELBA CLIPPER

STORY OF THE ELBA

FLOOD WRITTEN AS

THE WATERS ROSE

Elba Merchant Touchingly

Describes Flood Situation

While Marooned in May

Building, Separated From

His Family.

ELBA, Ala., March 16.—The

story of the Elba flood written

while it happened by J. G. Wyros-

dek, prominent Elba merchant ex-

clusively for The Montgomery Ad-

vertiser was given our correspond-

ent here today.

Mr. Wyrosdek, marooned with

400 others in the May building and

in the center of the flooded dis-

trict cut at his typewriter Friday

morning and pecked off the story

as the flood waters crept higher

and hundreds fled their homes.

His complete story follows:

"At 2:30 a. m. we all left in

the May building with several ad-

ditions from other families. These

came from homes where they had

come to the roofs and could be seen

from the tops, asking for help and

more with us, we are passing the

night by it some better than I did

last night.

"The water to come in from the

river today have done so much to

comfort the people of Elba. We

have stood today and watched the

boats pick men from trees, falling

buildings and sinking boats. So far

only one has been reported to our

hatch as being drowned, but we

are so afraid that it all has not

been reported.

"Gov. Graves could not have

done more than he did when news

of the flood came from Batesville,

that Elba needed help.

"The plane dropped an Adver-

tiser with the instructions how to

use the steps of cloth and inter-

lous were carried out. You would

not think that the food and medi-

cine would have been dropped on

the roof. We do not think it was

more than an hour. We waited so

much to see the packages that

would miss the buildings go on

the streams, but we say good

work was done by the planes for

our relief.

"Drug Store Ruined

"We can see that the Whitman

Drug Co. store is washed away.

Part of the Elba Hotel and the

house known as the Blue Hotel is

wrecked. Parts of several homes

have been seen to leave. From the

roads that have been sent to float

out of Patrick & Kendrick and the

Elba Furniture Company we know

the front is out of their houses.

"We are so glad to know that

the people in Judge Carley's and

Dan Prescott's homes are out. We

have seen Judge Carley's house

in the trees. He is up stairs in his

home. We thought to offer help

but it is not that they need it

but to move and stay in their

homes.

"The writer wants to thank Miss

Albion Harper again for the good

service she rendered after putting

in a call for Mr. Alex. Henderson

and Mr. Arthur Boutwell, who

could not be reached. She worked

for a few hours last night, but

saw that I could not get to them

and called.

"To need this help is only to

know just how much to be thank-

ful for it and there is nothing

greater than to do the things we

do, the best.

"With the food to come in from

the outer ones, we have not suf-

fered for food. Even when the

water was making its rounds to get

the information as to just what we

needed, Edwin Ellis was taken to

say, now he could have dropped

us down something to eat, with a

danger of hurting anyone. I have

seen a great part with me to

day. It was he who told a rape at-

tempted his wife and was let down

to bring in Mr. E. W. Oak, who

was turned over in a boat with

his wife, as they were attempting

to pass the telephone post just be-

fore Patrick & Kendrick's store.

"Mr. Olsen caught to the post at

the front of Miss Leila's store, while

his wife was seen to be sucked up

by the boat just across the street

at the English Barber Shop. Mrs.

Olsen came up in time to catch

the awning on the front of Mr. O.

A. Ellis' store, where she was pick-

ed up and brought back to the May

building.

"Yes, Sam Young and I have

stood on the edge every time a boat

would come in to get it and we

carried out but we have failed to

get out. But when you hear from us

again we will be able to tell you

to our families. We can see a fire



